



\$3,255 - \$4,160 per month, plus benefits
2.5% Pay Differential for certain water certifications
Closing date: Friday, August 4, 2006

ABOUT THE POSITION

Under general supervision, the Utility Worker I performs a variety of journey-level work to maintain water wells, chemical feeder equipment, pumps, motors, telemetering sensory equipment, treated water storage facilities, water distribution pipelines, sanitary sewers for the collection of wastewater and pumping equipment for both systems.

QUALIFICATIONS

Equivalent to the completion of high school.

Possession of a valid California Class A driver's license in compliance with adopted City driving standards within twelve months of date of hire. Must have passed written examination to obtain Class A driving permit within six months of official hire date.

Acquire a State of California Department of Health Services Water Distribution Operator DI certification within probationary period.

Pass spirometry test at time of hire.

Climb 40 – 50 feet on a ladder.

Lift up to 75 pounds.

Respond to emergencies on a 24-hour standby basis.

Work extended hours and respond from home to the Public Works Corporation Yard within 30 minutes when assigned to stand-by duty.

Wear respirator.

Work in confined spaces.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

Ensure the proper treatment of water from local groundwater sources.

Take water samples and make field tests to confirm water treatment procedures and adjust chemical feeders accordingly.

Change chemical drums to keep a continuous flow.

Ensure that storage reservoirs are maintained at the proper operating levels.

Make minor repairs and adjustments to tools and equipment used.

Answer inquiries from citizens regarding work performed.

Maintain accurate records of work performed.

Assist other maintenance crews in emergency situations.

BENEFITS

The City offers a generous benefits package. Depending on your number of dependents the health allowance ranges from \$575.00 to \$1,041.00 per month for medical and dental premiums. Other benefits include optional vision insurance, City-paid life and disability insurance policies, City-paid employee assistance program, sick leave, tuition reimbursement and educational incentive pay, 5% bilingual pay for certified working knowledge of Spanish and American Sign Language, participation in a deferred compensation program, and City-paid PERS 2.5% at 55 retirement plan with the City paying 7% of the employee contribution. Annual vacation ranges from two to four weeks, depending on years of service.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants must submit a completed City application form to be considered for this position. To request a City application form, please call the Job Hotline at (408) 779-7276 or visit our website at <http://www.morgan-hill.ca.gov>.

Closing Date: 5:00 p.m. on Friday, August 4. Postmarks will not be accepted. The most qualified applicants will be invited to a practical exam on Tuesday, August 22, and the candidates with the highest scores from this exam will be invited to an oral board to be held on Tuesday, August 29.

Note: Final candidate is required to pass a post-offer medical examination and drug screen, given at the City's expense prior to appointment.

Persons appointed to this position are represented by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Local 101 (AFSCME) and will be required to either join the Union or pay an agency fee in lieu of membership.

The City of Morgan Hill supports workforce diversity.
All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply.
Please contact Human Resources at (408) 779-7278 if special accommodation(s)
will be needed during the selection process.